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SUBJECT: 1974 NATIONAL WAR COLLEGE (NWC) EAST ASIA AND
PACIFIC TRIP

1. THE NWC IS PLANNING ITS ANNUAL OVERSEAS TRIP FOR THE
PERIOD APRIL 21 TO MAY 12, 1974. THE PURPOSE OF THIS TRIP
IS TO REVIEW THE CONDUCT OF U.S. NATIONAL SECURITY AFFAIRS.
DURING THE VISIT, THE STUDENTS, PLUS DIRECTING STAFF,
SELECTED FACULTY AND ADMINISTRATIVE STAFF, NORMALLY MEET
WITH THE TOP CIVILIAN AND MILITARY LEADERSHIP, THE U.S.

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MISSION CHIEF, AND FREQUENTLY WITH THE HEAD OF STATE, IN
ORDER TO RECEIVE AN AUTHORITATIVE FIRSTHAND IMPRESSION OF

THE MAJOR POLITICAL, MILITARY, ECONOMIC, SOCIAL, CULTURAL AND OTHER ISSUES ASSOCIATED WITH THE COUNTRY AND THE REGION. UPON COMPLETION OF THE TRIP THE STUDENTS PREPARE AND PRESENT AN ASSESSMENT OF THE ISSUES STUDIED.

2. THE TRIP HAS BEEN APPROVED BY THE DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE (TRAVEL PRIORITY IB), DEPARTMENT OF STATE, U.S- COMMANDERS IN CHIEF AND HAS ALSO BEEN COORDINATED WITH THE INDUSTRIAL COLLEGE OF THE ARMED FORCES (ICAF). THE TRIP GROUP CONSISTING OF 43 PERSONNEL OF O-5/6, GS-15/16 AND FSO-3/2 LEVEL AND LED BY MG RICHARD M. LEE, USA, DEPUTY COMMANDANT, WILL TRAVEL BY BOTH COMMERCIAL AIR AND C-118 AIRCRAFT. THE TRIP EXECUTIVE OFFICER, WHO WILL COORDINATE FULL GROUP MODE AND NORTHERN GROUP ACTIVITIES IS LTC. RICHARD D. DUCKWORTH, USAF (TELE: 693 8116/8117). THE ACTIVITIES OF THE SOUTHERN

GROUP WILL BE COORDINATED BY TRIP EXECUTIVE OFFICER, CAPT. ROBERT J. CARLIN, USN (TELE: 693-8454).

3. THE COLLEGE HAS REQUESTED VISITS TO THE FOLLOWING PLACES ON DATES INDICATED:

FULL GROUP MODE: TRANSPORTATION--COMMERCIAL AIR

APR 21-23	HONOLULU
23-25	SYDNEY
25-27	CANBERRA
27-30	BANGKOK

SPLIT GROUP MODE: TRANSPORTATION--C-118'S

NORTHERN GROUP	DATE	SOUTHERN GROUP
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TRIP DIRECTOR, MG LEE	TRIP DIRECTOR, COL.
	VAN COURT WILKINS,
	USA

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BANGKOK/KUALA LUMPUR	MAY 1	BANGKOK/SINGAPORE
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KUALA LUMPUR	2	SINGAPORE
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KUALA LUMPUR/HONG KONG	3	SINGAPORE/MANILA
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HONG KONG	4	MANILA
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HONG KONG/SEOUL	5	MANILA
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SEOUL 6 MANILA/TAIPEI

SEOUL 7 TAIPEI

SEOUL/TOKYO 8 TAIPEI/TOKYO

FULL GROUP MODE: TRANSPORTATION--COMMERCIAL AIR

MAY 9-12 TOKYO

12 WASHINGTON, D.C.

REQUEST YOUR APPROVAL OF OR COMMENTS ON VISIT BY JAN. 25.
PLEASE INFORM DEPT OF NAME, ADDRESS AND TELEPHONE NUMBER

OF YOUR DESIGNATED PROJECT OFFICER IN ORDER TO FACILITATE
DIRECT COORDINATION WITH NWC TRIP EXECUTIVE OFFICERS CON-
CERNING DETAILS OF TRIP. A SEPARATE LETTER AND ADMINISTRA-
TIVE DATA FROM THE COMMANDANT, NWC, TO CHIEFS OF MISSIONS
OUTLINING THE REQUESTED AGENDA IN MORE DETAIL WILL BE
FORTHCOMING, AS WILL A LETTER FROM THE TRIP EXECUTIVE
OFFICER TO THE COUNTRY PROJECT OFFICER.

4. ALL COMMUNICATIONS THIS SUBJECT SHOULD BE ADDRESSED
TO SECSTATE, JCS AND NWC. RUSH

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